

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS  
DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Notice is hereby given that the Massachusetts Department of Environmental Protection (MassDEP), under its authority pursuant to M.G.L. Chapter 111, Sections 142A through 142O, will hold a public hearing pursuant to M.G.L. Chapter 30A on proposed amendments to 310 CMR 7.00 *Air Pollution Control*, including:

- Amend 310 CMR 7.24(3) *Distribution of Motor Vehicle Fuels* to update the list of Stage I Enhanced Vapor Recovery (EVR) Systems certified by the California Air Resources Board (CARB) since January 2, 2015, the date the Stage I regulations were last revised. The Stage I regulations require gasoline dispensing facilities to use CARB-certified EVR equipment to capture gasoline vapors from storage tanks.
- Rescind 310 CMR 7.17 *Conversions to Coal*; 310 CMR 7.21 *Sulfur Dioxide Emissions Limitation*; 310 CMR 7.22 *Sulfur Dioxide Emissions Reductions for the Purpose of Reducing Acid Rain*, and 310 CMR 7.45 *The Massachusetts Green Fleet Program*. These regulations are outdated and/or have been superseded.

The existing regulations at 310 CMR 7.24(3) and 310 CMR 7.17 are part of the Massachusetts State Implementation Plan (SIP) and the regulatory amendments will be submitted to the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) for approval into the SIP. A public hearing will be held to receive comments on the proposed amendments on:

August 1, 2017 at 10 a.m.  
Conference Room A  
MassDEP Boston Office  
1 Winter Street, Boston

Testimony may be presented orally or in writing at the hearing. MassDEP will accept written comments until 5:00 p.m. on August 31, 2017. Written comments must be submitted by email to: [DEP.Talks@state.ma.us](mailto:DEP.Talks@state.ma.us) or by mail to: Tom DeNormandie, MassDEP, One Winter Street, Boston, MA 02108. A copy of the proposed amendments and technical support document is available on MassDEP's website at [mass.gov/dep/public/publiche.htm](http://mass.gov/dep/public/publiche.htm).

For special accommodations for the hearing, please contact Michelle Waters-Ekanem, MassDEP Director of Diversity/Civil Rights, at 617-292-5751, TTY# MassRelay Service 1-800-439-2370. This information is available in alternative format upon request.

By order of the Department  
Martin Suuberg, Commissioner